The Daily Republican.

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FOR SALE!

BUSINESS PROPERTY.

A THREE STORY BRICK on the Old Square. A first-rate property, that can be bought low if applied for soon. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

RESIDENCE LOTS.

Lot 10 block 1, North addition, cor. Union and Edmund st. dze, 0x176 feet. Apply WARREN & DURFEE.

On corner of William and College sts; 50x 170 feet. A very desirable and central location, offered at a great sacrifice. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

In Peddecord & King's addition lot 5, block 4 fronting on Church st. A good lot, at a reasonable price. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

IN ANDREW P. B. Shepherd's 2nd addition, fronting on William st., between Central Place — lot 8, 63 feet front, lot 8, 210 feet depth, 120 feet. Price, together can be had on long time, with a reasonable — Crown. Also,

Lots 9 and 10 block 1 Thompson's 1st addition fronting on Monroe st., just west of Mound, size, 0x170 feet, each. Will be sold together at $150, or $250 for either lot. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

DWELLING PROPERTY,

OFFERED VERY LOW, if sold soon; situated at the corner of College and South Union sts, comprising two lots, fronting 1 5 feet on both streets; 1½ story dwelling, five rooms, summer kitchen, well, cistern and out-houses, and a good-sized stable. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

FOR SALE.—A house and lot in Rolling Mill addition. Brick house, 7 rooms, pantry, cellar; yard set out with fruit trees and small fruit. For terms apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

A house and two lots for sale in Stephen's addition, for $ 00 each. Apply to WARRAN & DURFEE.

FOR SALE. A house and lot in Carver's addition, at $500. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

FOR RENT. A house of 7 rooms within one block of the business part of the city $15 per month. WARREN & DURFEE.

LOTS 4 and 5, block 9, Smith & Co.'s addition, on Condit street, between Morgan and Broadway, size 80x15? feet; one story frame house, 3 rooms and cellar. Improvements nearly new. Can be had for $1,000 WARREN & DURFEE.

LOTS 17 and 18, block 12, Carver's addition, comprising 80x13 feet, situated on North Macon st., east of Clayton st.; a new frame house of 2 rooms, lots fenced. Can be had for $500, part on time. WARREN & DURFEE.

FIVE HOUSES, in Peddecord & Burrows' addition, convenient to depot, Agricultural Works and Rolling Mill, all well constructed and in good repair. Will be sold low for cash, or on time, to suit purchasers. WARREN & DURFEE.

ALSO, a large two story building suitable for a boarding house, situated in block 1, Peddecord & Burrows' addition. For sale by WARREN & DURFEE.

A COMFORTABLE story and a half house, 5 rooms, good cellar, well, cistern and stable. All in good repair; lot 50x160 ft., fronting on William st.; very convenient to business part of town. Will be sold very reasonable. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

SITUATED on West Wood st., lot 8, block, Lemon's other addition; 70 feet front, 1 story house with basement, well, cistern and stable. Offered at a very low price. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

SITUATED on the corner of Prairie and College st., comprising 100 feet front on 3 streets; frame dwelling, 7 rooms; cellar, well and cistern; variety of fruit on grounds. A good property in a very desirable location. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

LOT 1 block 1, Robinson's addition; situated on the corner of Green and College st. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

Farm Property.

200 ACRE FARM FOR SALE, about 4 miles southwest of Dalton Station, on the Mattoon & Decatur Railroad, all under cultivation; about 40 fruit trees in bearing, 2 miles of hedge, 1 years old, a one story frame house, good barn, wells, &c. $40 per acre. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

178 ACRES OF FARM LAND for sale about 1½ miles south west of Macon, two house, with necessary out buildings on each farm. All under cultivation will sell at a bargain. Enquire of WARREN & DURFEE, Agents.

FOR SALE OR TRADE 60 acres, about 6 miles southwest of Decatur, on the Taylorville road; a story and a half frame house, 6 rooms, good cellar; well and necessary outbuildings. All under good cultivation, except — acres of timber. Will trade for property in Decatur suitable for a boarding-house, a house near the depot preferred. For terms, &c., enquire of WARREN & DURFEE, Ag'ts.

800 ACRES in Piatt Co.; mostly prairie. Price, $26.50 per acre. Enquire of WARREN & DURFEE, Ag'ts.

April 26, 1872 d-1f.

Warren & Durfee

REAL ESTATE DEALERS, BROKERS, AND CONVEYANCERS!

April 1, 1872 d-1f

MACON COUNTY TITLE Abstract Office

THE BOOKS OF THIS OFFICE constitute the Deed and Court Records of the county, but transcribed and arranged upon

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... [illegible] of which has since been ... adoption in more than 50 counties in this and adjoining States. We furnish ABSTRACTS of all Conveyances, Mortgages, Wills, Court Decrees, Sales and Releases, Judgment Liens and Tax Sales, and all matter that is of Record affecting title to every Tract of Land and Town Lot within the county. Also, Abstracts showing ... recorded real estate interests of any person or estate in the county.

WARREN & DURFEE

April 1 1872 d-1f.

Boston in Ashes!

The Second Great Fire of the 19th Century!

THE OLD NORTH AMERICA OF PHILADELPHIA, Again Escapes!

With half her Net Surplus intact.

Sound as the Declaration of Independence!

To Messrs. Warren & Durfee, Decatur, Ill.:

It is with more than ordinary pleasure I am able to inform you that the venerable old Insurance Company of North America has come out of the Great Boston Fire of November 9th, 10th, 1872, with half of her Net Surplus intact. Having passed through, triumphantly, the dangers and vicissitudes incident to an extended business reaching back into the last century, it is an occasion of mutual congratulation to find this "Old Bulwark" still strong and vigorous, and more and more entitled to the confidence of the insuring public.

J. F. DOWNING, Gen'l Ag't.

ERIE, PA., Nov. 11, 1872.

THE OLD HARTFORD HEARD FROM!

CHICAGO, November 11, 1872.

MESSRS. WARREN & DURFEE, Decatur, Ill.

Our Boston losses are under Six Hundred Thousand Dollars, and will be promptly paid as at Chicago. Business will proceed without any interruption. Present assets,

$2,355,000!

The Hartford never Surrenders

Yours truly,
G. F. BISSELL,
Gen'l Ag't Hartford Fire Ins. Co.

American Central INSURANCE COMPANY, —OF— SAINT LOUIS!

ST. LOUIS, Nov, 11, 1872.

WARREN & DURFEE, Ag'ts, Decatur, Ill.:

$20,000 covers the whole amount of our Policies in force in Boston, where we had no agent. These risks, for which we will have to pay, of course, were for the well-known house of A. T. Stewart & Co., of New York.

The conservative management of this company has kept its losses of the current year within standard limits. Our premium receipts for the last month were $80,000, and though the character of the business is rigidly scrutinized, each month shows a steady increase over its predecessor.

GEO. P. PLANT, President.
GEO. T. CRAM, Secretary.

GENERAL AGENCY

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, NO. 101 LA SALLE ST., CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, Nov. 11, 1872.

WARREN & DURFEE, Agents of the "Imperial," Decatur, Ill.:

I am advised by telegram from the Resident Manager, that the "Imperial's" net loss by the Boston Fire is only about one million dollars.

This amount, it will be observed, is less than ten per cent of the available assets of the Company, and when paid will still leave the "Imperial" the strongest Fire Insurance Company doing business in this country.

Our Agents, therefore, and the public, need feel no uneasiness in reference to the future course and stability of the Company. It will, as heretofore, pursue the even tenor of its way, unaffected by the Boston Fire,

Yours very truly,
EUGENE CARY, Gen'l Ag't.

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Jas. Forester & Co.

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DEALERS IN

DRY GOODS!

Woolens, Notions, Etc.

Close Cash Buyers WILL SAVE MONEY

By Examining our Stock before Purchasing elsewhere.

Store: Court House Block, Water st., one door south of Post Office. m11-dly.

PROFESSIONAL.

A. BROWER BUNN,

ATTORNEY AT LAW.

OFFICE Over W. W. Lapham's store Water street, Decatur, Ill. [feb8'72

W. T. CUSSINS,

ATTORNEY AT LAW and GENERAL COLLECTING AGENT. Office, over S. M. Stially's Grocery Store, Decatur. *Prompt attention to business.*

Dr. J. KING, M. D.,

HAS RESUMED THE PRACTICE of medicine. Office Over Busher's shoe store

DR. A. S. WALTZ,

SURGEON DENTIST, at Macon, Ills. Office with Dr. Tobey, on Main street. Open every day. Licensed to use Rubber as a base for artificial denture. Remember, satisfaction guaranteed. [July9-ly.

St. Nicholas Hotel,

N. LAUX & BRO, PROPRIETORS South side Old Square, Decatur Illinois *Busto and from the cars* au3-tf

JOHN W. SMITH. BRICE L. STERRETT.

SMITH & STERRETT,

ATTORNEYS AT LAW.— Office No. 22 North Water street, Decatur, Ill. Aug. 11, 1870-ly

James M. Irwin,

ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW No. 18 Merchant st., Decatur, Ill. Aug. 31, 1872—tf.

E. R. ELDRIDGE,

ATTORNEY at LAW

OFFICE:—Over Dr. Stoner's drug store, No. 11 south side New square. [a23-dly

C. C. McComas,

ATTORNEY AT LAW AND NOTARY Public Office in Room No. 2 north west corner of East Main and Walter streets Decatur, Ill. April 10, 1872-dwtf.

D. L. BUNN,

ATTORNEY AT LAW.

OFFICE. -Over Ludden & Co's Dry Goods Store, East Main street. [feb.8-'71

Woods, Gooding & Co.,

—GENERAL—

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FOR THE SALE OF

Butter, Eggs, Cheese, Apples, Canned and Dried Fruits, And Farmers' Produce.

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October 19, 1871-2mos.

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Glazier, Grainer & Paper Hang-

THANKFUL for past favors, a continuance of the patronage of the public is respectfully solicited.

Shop over Quinlan & Bro's Carp Store, East Main street, Decatur, Ill.

March 17, 1870-y1

IMPORTANCE OF THE SAN JUAN SETTLEMENS.

The New York *Daily Bulletin* dwells upon the practical importance to the United States of the San Juan adjustment. It not only confirms American supremacy on the Pacific coast, and gives us important advantages in reference to the trade of China and Japan, and the commerce of the Amoor, but—

"It also gives the Northern Pacific railroad, now in rapid process of construction, the advantages of one of the finest harbors on the Pacific coast near its western terminus And if the Canadian Pacific should ever be built, the Eastern traffic, on which it will so largely depend for through freight, must be conveyed through the Canal de Haro and the harbor of San Juan. Thus we possess the largest, and, in fact, the only harbors on the Pacific seaboard—San Diego, on the extreme south, being the complement of San Juan on the northern point, with San Francisco half way between. As for Alaska, it will be a generation or more before its commercial advantages can be developed, although even at present it is the center of a rapidly increasing trade. We thus, as it were, stretch both arms, at a distance of over a thousand miles apart, to take in the commerce of China, Japan, Australia, and Asiatic Russia, and in a few years we shall have three great lines of transcontinental railway communicating with the Atlantic seaboard."

HE COULDN'T DRINK WINE

That was a noble youth who, on being urged to take wine at the table of a famous statesman, in Washington, had the moral courage to refuse He was a poor young man, just beginning the struggle of life. He brought letters to the great statesman, who kindly invited him home to dinner.

"Not take a glass of wine?" said the great statesman, in wonderment and surprise.

"Not one single glass of wine?" echoed the statesman's beautiful and fascinating wife, as she arose glass in hand, and, with a grace that would have charmed an anchorite, endeavored to press it upon him.

"No," said the heroic youth, resolutely, gently repelling the proffered glass.

What a picture of moral grandeur was that! A poor, friendless youth refusing wine at the table of a wealthy and famous statesman, even though offered by the fair hands of a beautiful lady.

"No,' said the noble young man, and his voice trembled a little and his cheek flushed. "I never drink wine, but—(here he straightened himself up and his words grew firmer)—if you've got a little good old rye whisky I don't mind trying a snifter."

INFECTION.

Just at present, when contagious diseases are much to be feared, a hint concerning the danger of infection seems called for. It may not be generally known that flowers, taken from a room in which a person lies ill of an infectious or contagious disease, will convey the infection. This is no reason why the invalid should be deprived of flowers; but they should be immediately burnt on removal from the room. It is while fasting that we are most likely to an infectious disorder. Therefore it is better, if possible, to take breakfast, though ever so hasty a one, before entering a sick room. The clothes that have not come in very close contact with a person suffering from infectious or contagious disease, may be purified by being put to air for a whole day before a blazing fire. But no degree of airing, cleansing, or brushing will purify an infected bed. The feathers, wool, or flock (as the case may be) must be thoroughly cleaned, as also the ticks, before the bed can be safely slept on.

CURB YOUR TEMPER.—Never get angry. It does no good; and those who indulge in it feel no better for it. It is really a torment; and when the storm of passion has cleared away, it leaves one to see that he has been extremely silly, and has made himself silly in the eyes of others, too. Who thinks well of an illnatured, churlish man, who has to be approached in the most guarded way? Will a bad temper draw customers, pay debts, and make creditors better natured? An angry man adds nothing to the welfare of society. Since then, anger is useless, needless, disgraceful, without the least apology, and found only in the bosom of fools, why should it be indulged at all?

"LA, ME!" sighed Mrs. Partington, "here I have been suffering the bigamies of death for three mortal weeks. First I was seized with a bleeding phrenology in the left hampshire of the brain, which was exceeded by a stoppage of the heart. This give me an inflamation in the borax, and now I'm sick with the chloroform morbus. There is no blessin' like that of health, particularly when you are ill."

"I say, milkman, you give your cows too much salt." "Why, how do you know how much salt I give them?" "I judge from the appearance of the milk you have brought us lately. Salt makes cows dry, and then they drink too much water—that makes the milk thin, you know."

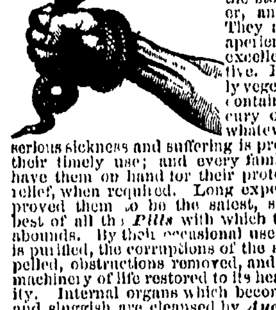
Ayer's Hair Vigor

For restoring to Gray Hair its natural Vitality and Color.

A dressing which is at once agreeable, healthy, and effectual for preserving the hair. *It soon restores faded or gray hair to its original color, with the gloss and freshness of youth.* Thin hair is thickened, falling hair checked, and baldness often, though not always, cured by its use. Nothing can restore the hair where the follicles are destroyed, or the glands atrophied and decayed; but such as remain can be saved by this application, and stimulated into activity, so that a new growth of hair is produced. Instead of fouling the hair with a pasty sediment, it will keep it clean and vigorous. Its occasional use will present the hair from turning gray or falling off, and consequently prevent baldness. The restoration of vitality it gives to the scalp arrests and prevents the formation of dandruff, which is often so uncleanly and offensive. Free from those deleterious substances which make some preparations dangerous, and injurious to the hair, the Vigor can only benefit, but not harm it. If wanted merely for a HAIR DRESSING, nothing else can be found so desirable. Containing neither oil nor dye, it does not soil white cambric, and yet lasts long on the hair, giving it a rich, glossy lustre, and a grateful perfume.

Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co.,
Practical and Analytical Chemists,
LOWELL, MASS.
SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.

Ayer's Cathartic Pills,



For the relief and cure of all derangements in the stomach, liver, and bowels. They are a mild aperient, and an excellent purgative. Being purely vegetable, they contain no mercury or mineral whatever. Much serious sickness and suffering is prevented by their timely use; and every family should have them on hand for their protection and relief, when required. Long experience has proved them to be the safest, surest, and best of all the *Pills* with which the market abounds. By their occasional use, the blood is purified, the corruptions of the system expelled, obstructions removed, and the whole machinery of life restored to its healthy activity. Internal organs which become clogged and sluggish are cleansed by *Ayer's Pills*, and stimulated into action. Thus incipient disease is changed into health, the value of which change, when reckoned on the vast multitudes who enjoy it, can hardly be computed. Their sugar-coating makes them pleasant to take, and preserves their virtues unimpaired for any length of time, so that they are ever fresh, and perfectly reliable. Although searching, they are mild, and operate without disturbance to the constitution or diet or occupation.

Full directions are given on the wrapper to each box, how to use them as a Family Physic, and for the following complaints, which these *Pills* rapidly cure:—

For **Dyspepsia** or **Indigestion, Listlessness, Languor,** and **Loss of Appetite,** they should be taken moderately to stimulate the stomach, and restore its healthy tone and action.

For **Liver Complaint** and its various symptoms, **Bilious Headache, Sick Headache, Jaundice** or **Green Sickness, Bilious Colic** and **Bilious Fevers,** they should be judiciously taken for each case, to correct the diseased action, or remove the obstructions which cause it.

For **Dysentery** or **Diarrhœa,** but one mild dose is generally required.

For **Rheumatism, Gout, Gravel, Palpitation of the Heart, Pain in the Side, Back,** and **Loins,** they should be continuously taken, as required, to change the diseased action of the system. With such change those complaints disappear.

For **Dropsy** and **Dropsical Swellings,** they should be taken in large and frequent doses to produce the effect of a drastic purge.

For **Suppression,** a large dose should be taken, as it produces the desired effect by sympathy.

As a *Dinner Pill,* take one or two *Pills* to promote digestion, and relieve the stomach.

An occasional dose stimulates the stomach and bowels, restores the appetite, and invigorates the system. Hence it is often advantageous where no serious derangement exists. One who feels tolerably well, often finds that a dose of these *Pills* makes him feel decidedly better, from their cleansing and renovating effect on the digestive apparatus.

PREPARED BY
Dr. J. C. AYER & CO., Practical Chemists,
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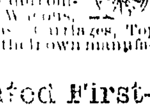
Buggies and Carriages.



WOULD RESPECTFULLY INFORM the citizens of Macon and adjoining counties, that they have always on hand a large and complete stock of Wagons, Spring Wagons, Carriages, Top and Open Buggies, all of their own manufacture. Their work is

Warranted First-Class!

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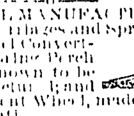

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REPAIRING OF ALL KINDS, done to order, and Trimming and Painting of Buggies and Carriages,

Prices as Low as the Lowest.

SHOPS.—On the corner of East Main and Franklin-Sts., Decatur, Ill.

March 11, 1872—tf.

$100 Reward for a case of Neuralgia or Rheumatism of any form whatever, (considered curable by any physician), that *Dr. Fitler's Vegetable Rheumatic Syrup* will not cure—warranted uninjurious, and a physician's prescription.

$5000 Reward offered to the Proprietors of any Medicine for Rheumatism and Neuralgia able to produce one-fourth as many genuine living cures within the same period of time as Dr. Fitler's Vegetable Rheumatic Remedy.

$2000 Reward offered to any person proving Dr. Jos. P. Fitler, M. D., to be other than a graduate of the celebrated University of Pennsylvania in 1833, and Professor of Chemistry—treating Rheumatism specially for 39 years.

$1000 Reward to any Chemist, Physician, or others able to discover Iodide of Potassa, Colchicum, Mercury, or anything injurious to the system in Dr. Fitler's Rheumatic Syrup.

$250 Reward for the name of any warranted preparation for Rheumatism and Neuralgia sold under a similar legal guarantee, setting forth the exact number of bottles to cure or return the amount paid for same to the patient in case of failure to cure. A full description of cases requiring guarantees must be forwarded by letter to Philadelphia. The guarantee, signed, and stating quantity to cure, will be returned by mail, with advice and instructions, without any charge. Address all letters to Dr. J. P. FITLER, No. 45 South Fourth Street. No other remedy is offered on such terms.

Medical Advice sent by letter without charge, from time to time; personal examination in Rheumatic complaints seldom necessary. Sufferers desiring guarantee should obtain direct, or from the agent, blank application to be filled up containing questions to be answered and mailed to Philadelphia, signed by the patient. Dr. Fitler's Rheumatic Remedy is used inwardly only, and is sold by druggists at $1.25 per bottle—six bottles for $6.50. Get a circular explaining the various forms of Rheumatism, containing prominent testimonials, of the special agent.

HUBBARD & SWEARINGEN

SOLE AGENTS,
Decatur, Ill.

Decatur, April 20, 872—dawl-ly.

BELT'S Patent Sheet Iron

ROOFING!

Cheapest and Best Iron Roofing made.

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Syrup of Hypophosphites!

The new English invention reaches Organic Diseases, strengthens the Brain and Nervous System. Is the most successful remedy for Consumption, Bronchitis, Asthma, and Debility from whatever cause—from close study, grief, unhealthy air and sexual abuses. $2 per bottle: 6 for $10. FULLER & FULLER, Chicago.

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For Sight is Priceless!

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Which are now offered to the public, are pronounced by all the celebrated Opticians of the world to be the **MOST PERFECT,** natural, artificial help to the human eye ever known.

They are ground under their own supervision, from minute Crystal Pebbles, melted together, and derive their name, "Diamond," on account of their hardness and brilliancy.

THE SCIENTIFIC PRINCIPLE on which they are constructed brings the core or centre of the lens directly in front of the eye, producing a clear and distinct vision, as in the natural, healthy sight, and preventing all unpleasant sensations, such as glimmering and wavering of sight, dizziness, &c., peculiar to all others in use.

They are mounted in the finest manner in frames of the best quality, of all materials used for that purpose.

THEIR FINISH AND DURABILITY CANNOT BE SURPASSED.

CAUTION.—None genuine unless bearing their trade mark stamped on every frame.

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Sole Agents for Decatur and Vicinity,

From whom they can only be obtained. These prices are not supplied to Pedlers, at any goods Nov 17, '70. l yr.

Dissolution Notice.

THE CO-PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing under the firm name of Strohm & Waggoner was dissolved August 8th, by mutual consent, the interest of George W. Waggoner having been purchased by Michael Dempsey. JOHN STROHM.
GEORGE W. WAGGONER.

The marble business, in all its branches, will be conducted at the old stand by the undersigned, who respectfully solicit a continuance of the patronage heretofore so liberally bestowed on the old firm.

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Real Estate Securities!

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Money Loaned on easy terms and long time on Illinois Farm Lands.

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POST OFFICE HOURS.

Open at 7 A. M.; closes at 7½ P. M.
Open on Sundays from 9 to 10 A. M.
Northern Mail arrives at 5:00 P. M.
" " closes at 8 P. M.
Southern " arrives at 5:30 A. M.
" " closes at 4:00 P. M.
Eastern " arrives at 2:35 P. M.
" " closes at 10:30 A. M.
Western " arrives at 11:40 P. M.
" " closes at 1:35 P. M.
Through Eastern mail closes at 8:00 P. M.
Daily through Chicago mail closes at 4:00 P. M.

I. C. PUGH, Postmaster.

Illinois Central R. R.

Trains Pass Decatur:

Passenger Trains.

GOING SOUTH.
5:30 A. M. .... 5:40 P. M.

GOING NORTH.
5:30 A. M. .... 5:55 P. M.

Freight Trains.

GOING NORTH.
11.31 A. M. .... 2:40 P. M.

GOING SOUTH.
7:35 A. M. .... 2:20 P. M.

Close connection made at Vandalia for St. Louis, and at Mendota for Chicago.

A. MITCHELL, Gen. Sup't. } Chicago
F. J. TUCKER, Gen. Ft. Agt., } Chicago
E. M. MISNER, Agent, Decatur.

T., W. & W. Railway.

TRAINS LEAVE AND ARRIVE ON AND after Sunday, June 30, 1872, until further notice, as follows:

WESTWARD.

MAIL.

Leave	Toledo	11 40 p. m
"	Decatur	9 50 p. m
Arrive	Quincy	9 25 p. m
"	Keokuk	10 15 p. m
"	St. Louis	7 15 p. m

EXPRESS.

Leave	Toledo	10 45 a. m
"	Decatur	2 40 a. m
Arrive	Quincy	9 30 a. m
"	Keokuk	11 00 a. m
"	St. Louis	7 50 a. m

FREIGHT.

No. 9—Leaves Decatur .... 6:45 a. m

EASTWARD.

MAIL.

Leave	St. Louis	7 25 a. m
"	Keokuk	4 35 a. m
"	Quincy	5 15 a. m
"	Decatur	12 10 p. m
Arrive	Toledo	2 10 a. m

EXPRESS.

Leave	St. Louis	8 50 p. m
"	Keokuk	6 27 p. m
"	Quincy	7 10 p. m
"	Decatur	2 20 a. m
Arrive	Toledo	5 10 p. m

FREIGHT.

No. 14—Leaves Decatur .... 8:00 p. m

Pekin, Lincoln and Decatur Division.

Leave Decatur, Mail, West .... 2 50 p. m
" " Accom " .... 6 00 a. m
Leave Pekin, Mail, East .... 6 40 a. m
" " Accom " .... 8 45 p. m

GEO. H. BURROWS, Gen'l Sup't, Toledo.
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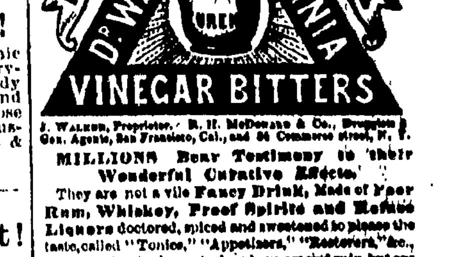

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"Not one single glass of wine?" echoed the statesman's beautiful and fascinating wife, as she arose glass in hand, and, with a grace that would have charmed an anchorite, endeavored to press it upon him.

"No," said the heroic youth, resolutely, gently repelling the proffered glass.

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"No," said the noble young man, and his voice trembled a little and his cheek flushed. "I never drink wine, but—(here he straightened himself up and his words grew firmer)—if you've got a little good old rye whisky I don't mind trying a snifter."

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CURB YOUR TEMPER.—Never get angry. It does no good; and those who indulge in it feel no better for it. It is really a torment; and when the storm of passion has cleared away, it leaves one to see that he has been extremely silly, and has made himself silly in the eyes of others, too. Who thinks well of an illnatured, churlish man, who has to be approached in the most guarded way? Will a bad temper draw customers, pay debts, and make creditors better natured? An angry man adds nothing to the welfare of society. Since then, anger is useless, needless, disgraceful, without the least apology, and found only in the bosom of fools, why should it be indulged at all?

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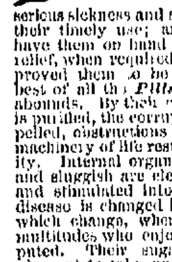

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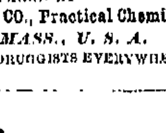

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5:30 A. M.......................5:40 P. M.

GOING NORTH.

5:30 A. M.......................5:55 P. M.

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GOING NORTH.

11.51 A. M.......................2:40 P. M.

GOING SOUTH.

7:35 A. M.......................8:20 P. M.

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TRAINS LEAVE AND ARRIVE ON AND after Sunday, June 30, 1872, until further notice, as follows:

WESTWARD.

MAIL.

Leave	Toledo	11 40 p. m
"	Decatur	9 50 p. m
Arrive	Quincy	9 55 p. m
"	Keokuk	10 15 p. m
"	St. Louis	7 15 p. m

EXPRESS.

Leave	Toledo	10 45 a. m
"	Decatur	2 40 a. m
Arrive	Quincy	9 30 a. m
"	Keokuk	11 00 a. m
"	St. Louis	7 50 a. m

FREIGHT.

No. 9—Leaves Decatur.............. 6:45 a. m

EASTWARD.

MAIL.

Leave	St. Louis	7 45 a. m
"	Keokuk	4 35 a. m
"	Quincy	5 15 a. m
"	Decatur	12 10 p. m
Arrive	Toledo	2 10 a. m

EXPRESS.

Leave	St. Louis	8 30 p. m
"	Keokuk	6 27 p. m
"	Quincy	7 10 p. m
"	Decatur	1 30 a. m
Arrive	Toledo	5 10 p. m

FREIGHT.

No. 14—Leaves Decatur.............. 8:00 p. m

Pekin, Lincoln and Decatur Division.

Leave Decatur, Mail, West..............1 50 p. m
" " Accom "..............6 00 a. m
Leave Pekin, Mail, East..............6 40 a. m
" " Accom "..............6 45 p. m

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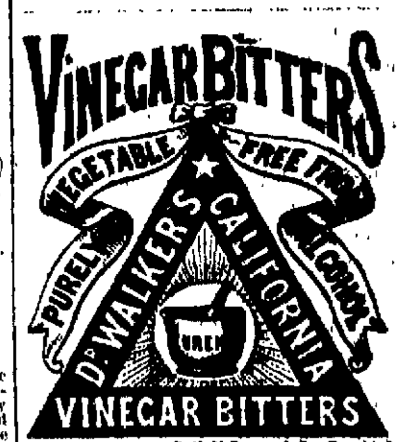

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Cleanse the Vitiated Blood whenever you find its impurities bursting through the skin in Pimples, Eruptions or Sores; cleanse it when you find it obstructed and sluggish in the veins; cleanse it when it is foul, and your feelings will tell you when. Keep the blood pure, and the health of the system will follow.

Pin, Tape, and other Worms, lurking in the system of so many thousands, are effectually destroyed and removed. Says a distinguished physiologist, there is scarcely an individual upon the face of the earth whose body is exempt from the presence of worms. It is not upon the healthy elements of the body that worms exist, but upon the diseased humors and slimy deposits that breed these living monsters of disease. No System of Medicine, no vermifuges, no anthelmintics will free the system from worms like these Bitters.

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DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

Tuesday Evening, Nov. 12.

NATIONAL THANKSGIVING

Proclamation by the President:

WASHINGTON, October 11.—By the President of the United States of America: A proclamation. Whereas, The revolution of another year has again brought the time when it is usual to look back upon the past and publicly thank the Almighty for his mercies and his blessings; and,

Whereas, If any one people has more occasion than another for such thankfulness it is the citizens of the United States, whose government is their creature, subject to their behests; who have reserved to themselves ample civil and religious freedom and equality before the law; who, during the last twelve months have enjoyed exemption from any grievous or general calamity, and to whom prosperity in agriculture, manufactures and commerce has been vouchsafed.—Therefore, in view of these considerations, I recommend that on Thursday, the twenty-eighth day of November next, the people meet in their respective places of worship and there make their acknowledgements to God for His kindness and bounty.

In witness whereof I hereunto set my hand and cause the seal of the United States to be affixed. Done at the city of Washington, on this, the eleventh day of October, in the year of our Lord 1872, and of the independence of the United States the ninety-seventh.

[Signed,] U. S. GRANT.

By the President:
HAMILTON FISH, Secretary of State.

RICHARD J. OGLESBY.

Now that the smoke of the late political conflict has passed away, and the grand results of the victory are fully made manifest, it is but natural to look back over the struggle and speculate as to what might have been the result if certain contingencies had happened. No Republican in Illinois needs to be reminded of the doubt and uncertainty which hung over us during the opening months of 1872, when, one after another, the former trusted leaders of the party turned their backs upon us and cast in their lot with the unholy coalition which sought to secure the control of the government. At this dark period in the history of Republicanism in Illinois the eyes of the faithful instinctively centered upon one man, whose record was such as to inspire the belief that he at least would be found true to the principles which he had so manfully struggled to build up and defend in the past. The sequel showed that the masses had not reckoned without their host, for Richard J. Oglesby took the first opportunity to announce his continued fealty to the party which had commanded the support of his earlier years. In answer to a letter addressed to him by a number of leading Republicans on the 4th of April he replied in language which revived the hopes of the despondent and put fresh life and vigor into the ranks of the party throughout the State. While his position upon the question of the hour had not been deemed equivocal by any well-informed person, still the ringing sentences of his famous letter served to reassure the minds of all, and the masses were buoyed up by the thought that one of their most popular leaders still remained with them, and was ready to again head the army of veterans which had even then stripped for the conflict. How much that timely letter of our fellow-townsman was worth to the Republican party of Illinois no man can now properly estimate.

The placing of Gov. Oglesby at the head of our State ticket by the convention which met in May was simply a carrying out of the popular will, the the conviction having forced itself upon the public mind that he—better than any one else—could lead us to victory. How unerring the popular instinct was in this instance let our majority of 50,000 testify. Accepting without a murmur the task imposed upon him by his party friends Gov. Oglesby began at once the most remarkable canvass ever made by any man in Illinois. Beginning soon after the adjournament of the convention he visited seventy counties and made over a hundred speeches, in addition to which he also spoke in the States of Pennsylvania, Indiana, Missouri and Iowa.

That he accomplished much in the way of winning votes for the whole ticket cannot be doubted, and it is no disparagement to the other eminent speakers who assisted in the canvass to say that while they all did well they must yield the palm to the popular orator whom all the Republicans of Illinois regarded as the leader of the hosts. While fully according the meed of praise to all the gallant men who aided us to achieve our magnificent victory in this State, the Republicans of his own home claim for Gov. Oglesby the chief honor, and though he has in the past given them ample reasons to justify their pride and admiration of his abilities and qualities they look upon his late canvass as the brightest of all his achievements, and firmly believe that the Republicans of the whole State have now greater cause than ever before to confide in his patriotism, ability and integrity. That he has been so triumphantly elected to the highest office in the gift of the people of the State is a source of the most profound satisfaction to his friends and neighbors, whose faith in him has never wavered, and who accept this new manifestation of popular confidence in him as an endorsement of their own high estimate of the man.

POLITICAL CHANGE.—A special dispatch from Cairo, of the 9th inst., says that "during a grand jollification of the Republican party in this city, last night, John H. Oberly, Democratic Representative-elect from this district, and editor of the Cairo *Bulletin*, the recognized organ of the Democrats in Southern Illinois, in front of the *Bulletin* office, made a speech to the Tanners, in which he formally renounced his allegiance to the Democratic party, and complimented President Grant and the Republican party in the highest terms. He declared himself independent of party dictation hereafter.

LESS than a year ago, that distinguished Liberal, Senator Trumbull, said this of the Republican party: "It will act as a body and I think it will poll a larger vote than it did in 1868, no matter what framework or what candidates are opposed to it. The people believe in the Republican party on account of its liberal discussions."

CONDOLENCE.

HALL OF MACON LODGE, No. 8, A. F. & A. M., DECATUR, ILL., Nov. 1, 1872.

It having pleased Almighty God, in His infinite wisdom, to remove from hence our well beloved brother GEO. T. SHARTEL, on the 25th day of October, 1872, at Denver City, Colorado, in the 39th year of his age, we humbly bow in submission to His divine will, believing that "He doeth all things well."

WHEREAS, In cheerful submission to His acts, we have a duty to perform to the living as well as the dead—but to the dead a last tribute to his memory; and a bright remembrance of his virtues is inscribed upon our hearts and the records of our Lodge; and,

WHEREAS, Bro. Shartel was a worthy member of our Lodge and mystic brotherhood; and the lesson of this hour should ever be engraven upon our memory as conducing to our future acts as Masons and brethren; and

WHEREAS, We by this act bear testimony to the fact that our deceased brother was a faithful friend, an obedient citizen, an honest man, and a worthy Mason, free by rank; therefore, be it

Resolved, That we hereby tender to his family relations our sympathy in this their trying hour of affliction, believing their loss to be his eternal gain.

Resolved, That this Lodge attend his funeral, and record this last memento of our brotherly love and affection in act and deed.

Resolved, That these preambles and resolutions be published in the daily papers, and a copy of the same presented to the relatives of our deceased brother.

D. P. BUNN, GEO. W. BRIGHT, C. H. FULLER, } Com.

SPECIAL CONCLAVE, BEAUMANOIR COMMANDERY, No. 9, K. T., DECATUR, ILL., A. O., 754, November 1, A. D., 1872.

WHEREAS, Sir Kt. Geo. T. Shartel departed this life at Denver City, Colorado, on Friday, the 25th day of October, A. D. 1872, aged 38 years; and

WHEREAS, Sir Kt. Shartel being a member of Beaumanoir Commandery No. 9, K. T., it becomes our duty as companion Sir Kts. to render to his memory the last tribute of respect, in laying his body in the ground with solemn ceremonies; and

WHEREAS, It is meet, just and right, at such time of affliction, that our condolence be offered to the family and friends in full sympathy, for the loss to them and us of the companionship and friendly offices of our deceased beloved companion and Sir Kt.; therefore, be it

Resolved, That this Commandery attend the funeral of Sir Kt. Shartel in uniform and mourning badges.

Resolved, That the sympathies of the Commandery be tendered the mourning relatives and friends, and that we cherish his memory and hold in example and remembrance the goodly acts and character of our deceased companion Sir Kt., as an honest, upright citizen, a deserving friend, a true and courteous Sir Kt.

Resolved, That a copy of this preamble and resolutions be published in the daily city papers, and that a copy of the same be presented to his family relations.

When death's fearful damps are stealing,
And is breathed the last farewell,
All the brighter world revealing,
Then shalt come, Immanuel.

W. T. STAMPER, D. S. SHELLABARGER, O. H. FULLER, } Com.

AN EASY ELECTRICAL EXPERIMENT.—Take an open-faced watch that has a crystal considerably convex, or full, and lay upon it, nicely balanced, a common, long stemmed, clay tobacco pipe. Then take a wine-glass or plain surfaced goblet, and, after vigorously rubbing it with a silk handkerchief, hold the edge of the glass to the tip of the stem of the pipe, and the pipe will revolve upon the surface of the watch, with the electricity degenerated on the glass. This is a very pleasing experiment, and one which almost any one can try.—[Schoolday Visitor.

THE best thing to be done when evil comes down upon us is not lamentation, but action; not to sit and suffer but to rise and seek the remedy.

...The sidewalk on South Broadway is in a very bad condition, and should be repaired at once.

TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'Clock, P. M.

[Reported Expressly for the Daily Republican.]

FINANCIAL EFFECT OF THE BOSTON FIRE.

A Feeling of Security in Money Circles.

THE RISE IN WOOLEN GOODS.

Incidents of the Fire.

Meeting of the Indiana Legislature.

The Sunday Law in Quincy.

Horrible Accident In Indiana.

BOSTON, Nov. 12.—The streets are now perfectly quiet. Two hundred and fifty mounted soldiery patrol the streets, and no one, unless under official authority from the commandant, is permitted to pass the lines of the infantry.

One man who attempted to enter a store on Winter street, and who refused to leave after been repeatedly ordered away, attempted to run, and was shot by one of the guards and quite severely wounded.

The arrangements for squelching the fire are now nearly perfect unless some villainy or some change in the weather occurs to cause another outbreak in some unexpected quarter

It is probable there will be no more serious damage to life or property. At points where persons are known to have been buried the ruins are being cooled with water, preparatory to digging out the corpses of the victims. On the south side of Washington street where the spread of the fire has been most dreaded, hose are extended in readiness for an emergency.

Three men were buried in the ruins of a falling wall on Washington street, leaving their heads visible. A few of the crowd attempted to rescue them, but were unsuccessful, and in a few minutes the remaining portion of the wall fell and buried them out of sight.

Immense piles of coal at Russia wharf, about 500 tons, are still on fire, and will probably burn several days.

The city authorities have granted to the dry goods merchants the privilege of using the Common as a repository for such of their property as is saved, and to erect shanties and other structures for temporary use.

It is rumored that last night a man attempted to set fire to the gas house near the Charlestown bridge. He was seized by the infuriated crowd and unceremoniously hanged to a lamp-post

Six men were arrested this morning, in the north part of the city, a mile or two from the burned district, having been caught in the act of firing buildings

FROM WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, November 12.—The Commissioner of Internal Revenue estimates the receipts of the Bureau for the present fiscal year at one hundred and five million dollars, or thirty millions less than last year. So far as the bureau is aware, both tobacco and spirit interests are satisfied with the late law of Congress.

Secretary Boutwell to day telegraphed as follows to the collector of Boston:

The President authorizes me to say that every possible means of relief and aid will be afforded the citizens of Boston by the government, and should circumstances appear to demand action by Congress, such action will be recommended by him.

As explanatory of recent diplomatic calls on President Grant to congratulate him on his re-election, it can be truthfully stated that the ministers from Spain and Belgium last week severally received telegrams from their respective governments instructing them so to act. This was the origin of the arrangement among foreign ministers now here to call in a body at the executive mansion.

The Comptroller of the currency telegraphs to Secretary Boutwell from Boston that seven national banks were burned out by the fire All have recovered the cash assets, and will immediately resume business. I have met the presidents of leading banks to-day, and all agree that the total loss will not exceed one half their surplus of twelve million dollars An excellent feeling prevails.

The President has pardoned Appleton Smith, who was taken to Fort Warren in 1861, it being alleged that as a ship agent in New York he had aided in taking out vessels engaged in the slave trade.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov 12 —Grant's majority in this city, by the official canvass, is 605

MORRISON Nov. 12.—Whiteside co. gives Grant 1,962 majority

ATCHISON, Nov 12.—All the counties but nine are heard from, and give Grant a majority of 30 485.

IT is estimated that there are 50,000 Jews in New York City.

FROM NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, Nov. 12.—The great losses in leather and wool, in Boston by the fire, will affect the industries of which they are the raw materials, but very slightly. The derangement will be but temporary. But few of our wool and leather merchants are directly affected by the destruction in our sister city and most of those that are will be abundantly able to meet their losses.

In the dry goods trade the Bulletin also says there is much confusion and uncertainty, owing to the absence of letters from Boston, but no great uneasiness is manifested. In the hide and leather there is an entire absence of a panicky feeling. In the boot and shoe trade no crisis is anticipated. The sentiment is that all the Boston dealers are in good standing, and only may need an extension of time. Boston dealers who appeared here yesterday were cheerfully given the usual credit.

The Bulletin says of the wool market that the dealers have recently sold heavily to the Boston merchants, but the wool is still here or is in transit, thus escaping destruction. A partial suspension of the wool trade for weeks is expected, until insurance balances are perfected. The actual sufferers will be the public at large, as all kinds of woolen goods, it is expected, will advance 30 to 40 per cent.

In Wall street the situation is brighter and the Boston fire is being lost sight of.

Woolens have an advancing tendency, and some of the commission houses have already advanced prices 7 1-2 to 10 per cent. and others decline business for the present.

Cotton goods are quiet but prices for all descriptions are very firm.

FROM INDIANA.

TERRE HAUTE, IND., Nov. 11.—Last night Avery Plummer and wife, of Ellisburg, Jefferson county, N. Y., aged persons, were passengers on the westward bound night express train over the Vandalia line, and should have left the train at this point and taken the morning train for Evansville, whither they were bound, but they failed to obey the direction of the conductor, and he found them on the train after it had started west from here. He then arranged for them to stop at Marshall, the first stopping place, and come back on the next train this way. Before reaching Marshall he missed the aged couple from the cars, and searched but failed to find them. Men hunted them throughout night, and at daylight found their dead bodies under Clear creek trestle. They had mistaken the slowing of the train customary at that point for the stopping place, and had stepped off and fallen on the jagged rocks fifty-five feet below the track, meeting instant death.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Nov 12. —The Legislature will meet to-morrow, and many of the members are already in the city. W. R. Edwards, of Terre Haute, will probably be speaker of the House. A number of Republican Senators are absent, and it is feared that they may not be here in time to prevent the Democrats from electing the President for the special session, in place of Cumback, resigned. Considerable interest is manifested in the result.

FROM ILLINOIS.

QUINCY, Ill., Nov. 12.—Nineteen ministers waited upon the City Council last evening, and requested the enforcement of the Sunday law, closing the saloons. The Council heard their appeals, but postponed any action. It is not thought the movement will succeed.

GRAIN.—The amount of grain in Chicago elevators at the commencement of business yesterday morning, as per official returns, was 2,367,629 bushels, embracing 774,811 bushels of wheat, 1,289,337 bushels of corn, 819,121 bushels of oats, 143,875 bushels of rye, and 340,185 bushels of barley.

The stocks of grain in store at the principal points of accumulation at lake and seaboard ports and in transit, November 2, 1872, were 7,453,804 bushels of wheat, 12,295,517 bushels of corn, 4,681,296 bushels of oats, and 3,228,513 bushels of barley.—*Chicago Journal, Nov. 12th.*

LIBERTY is once more in peril. Boston is now under military despotism, as Chicago was under like circumstances. The cradle of American liberty is now rocked by 1,500 soldiers, including a battalion of cavalry. Has General Sheridan removed his headquarters to that city? Let the *Times* and Governor Palmer look into this matter.—*Chicago Journal.*

PUBLIC SALE!

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL SELL, at Public Sale, on

Tuesday, November 19,

His entire Household and Kitchen Furniture, one span of driving horses; one pony; one cutter; one two horse spring wagon; one [illegible], and other articles.

TERMS.—All sums of $10 and upwards, six months credit.

THOMAS O. SMITH.

November 11, d-td.

LOST—On the Springfield road, near Sand Creek, in Macon county, Illinois, on the 26th of October, 1872, a Leather Pocket Book, containing $40 in currency, and some notes and papers, as follows: One note on Wm. C. Wall, of $150, payable to John A. Crowder; one note on Allen Cole, payable to W. P. McGuire, $75.02; one note on W. A. Crowder, of [illegible], payable to Thos. H Crowder; one note on F. A. & C. H. Honey, of $100; one note on George Kasner and J. A. McGuire, of $50, payable to Thos. H. Crawder; also, one order for Troy, contractor on railroad, payable to S. C. McCoy, of $580. I will pay a reasonable reward to any one giving me any information of the above notes and money.

THOS. H. CROWDER,
Marrowbone, Montgmrie Co., Ill.
November 5, 1872.

New Advertisements.

Out of the Fire!

THE FOLLOWING is a statement of the

FIRE INSURANCE COMPANIES

Represented by

Wood & Montgomery!

Showing their condition after the Great Fire in Boston:

	Assets.	Net losses.
Home Ins. Co., N. Y.	$ 1,672,013	$ 800,000
Franklin, Phila.	3,250,000	500,000
Phœnix, Hartford	1,068,822	506,000
" N. Y.	1,000,000	450,000
North British	10,000,000	600,000
Royal, Liverpool	10,000,000	1,000,000

November 12, 1872—d1w.

NOTICE.

WE HEREBY WARN ALL PERSONS from negotiating for or purchasing four certain promissory notes bearing date November 8, 1872, for $233.50 each, payable at the banking house of J. Millikin & Co., Decatur, Ill., and signed by George M. Keiser and John W. Keiser, payment upon the same having been stopped.

GEORGE M. KEISER.
JOHN W. KEISER.

Moawequa, Nov. 12, 1872.

WANTED—Two good men to do general work at our dairy. Work to last all winter, or as much longer as may be desired. Good wages. Apply to D. A. MAFFIT, at the dairy, or to W. W. FOSTER, at Newell & Hammer's store.

November 12, 1872.—dtf.

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MRS. D. C. HICKMAN

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Neck Handkerchiefs, Belts, Collars, Kid Gloves in Dress Shades and Party Colors,

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Fends invested and in Bank, in the United States, October 1, 1872, over	1,500,000

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AGENTS.

October 22, 1872—d,w6t.

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Boston, July, 1872

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This eminent German song-writer, author of "When the Swallows Homeward Fly," &c., says:

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"In the superb instruments manufactured by Hallet, Davis & Co., and used at all the concerts of the Great Boston Jubilee, there was combined a strength and purity of tone, elegance of finish, and those peculiar lasting qualities of rich sound and elaborate general workmanship—without which no Piano can be considered thoroughly good—such as I have never known to be surpassed. I believe their Pianos to be as near absolute perfection as it is possible for the instrument to be brought."

(Signed) FRANZ ABT.

Boston, June 22, 1872

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I coincide with the opinion of Dr. Franz Liszt and other celebrated Pianists, who, in their judgment, have placed the instruments among the first and most excellent manufactured in America.

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With and without Calender.

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With French Acromatic Lense and genuine Brazilian Pebbles.

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Having had an experience of over fifteen years in the business, I feel confident that all goods bought of me and all watch repairing, etc., entrusted to me, will give perfect satisfaction.

J. L. KNIEPER,

No. 10 Water Street,

DECATUR, ILL

May 21, 1872—d-2m.

Dissolution Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the firm of Gahman & Wicks has this day dissolved by mutual consent and placed their notes and accounts in the hands of J. L. Kinney for collection who is also authorized to receive the claims against said firm. The business will be continued at the old stand by Daniel Gahman.

DANIEL GAHMAN,
FRANK WICKS.

Oct. 1, 1872, w 13 d 1w

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DECATUR, ILLINOIS:
Tuesday Evening, Nov. 12.

NATIONAL THANKSGIVING

Proclamation by the President:

WASHINGTON, October 11.—By the President of the United States of America: A proclamation. Whereas, The revolution of another year has again brought the time when it is usual to look back upon the past and publicly thank the Almighty for his mercies and his blessings; and,

Whereas, If any one people has more occasion than another for such thankfulness it is the citizens of the United States, whose government is their creature, subject to their behests; who have reserved to themselves ample civil and religious freedom and equality before the law; who, during the last twelve months have enjoyed exemption from any grevious or general calamity, and to whom prosperity in agriculture, manufactures and commerce has been vouchsafed.—Therefore, in view of these considerations, I recommend that on Thursday, the twenty-eighth day of November next, the people meet in their respective places of worship and there make their acknowledgements to God for His kindness and bounty.

In witness whereof I hereunto set my hand and cause the seal of the United States to be affixed. Done at the city of Washington, on this, the eleventh day of October, in the year of our Lord 1872, and of the independence of the United States the ninety-seventh.

[Signed,] U. S. GRANT.

By the President:

HAMILTON FISH, Secretary of State.

RICHARD J. OGLESBY.

Now that the smoke of the late political conflict has passed away, and the grand-results of the victory are fully made manifest, it is but natural to look back over the struggle and speculate as to what might have been the result if certain contingencies had happened. No Republican in Illinois needs to be reminded of the doubt and uncertainty which hung over us during the opening months of 1872, when, one after another, the former trusted leaders of the party turned their backs upon us and cast in their lot with the unholy coalition which sought to secure the control of the government. At this dark period in the history of Republicanism in Illinois the eyes of the faithful instinctively centered upon one man, whose record was such as to inspire the belief that he at least would be found true to the principles which he had so manfully struggled to build up and defend in the past. The sequel showed that the masses had not reckoned without their host, for Richard J. Oglesby took the first opportunity to announce his continued fealty to the party which had commanded the support of his earlier years. In answer to a letter addressed to him by a number of leading Republicans on the 4th of April he replied in language which revived the hopes of the despondent and put fresh life and vigor into the ranks of the party throughout the State. While his position upon the question of the hour had not been deemed equivocal by any well-informed person, still the ringing sentences of his famous letter served to reassure the minds of all, and the masses were buoyed up by the thought that one of their most popular leaders still remained with them, and was ready to again head the army of veterans which had even then stripped for the conflict. How much that timely letter of our fellow-townsman was worth to the Republican party of Illinois no man can now properly estimate.

The placing of Gov. Oglesby at the head of our State ticket by the convention which met in May was simply a carrying out of the popular will, the conviction having forced itself upon the public mind that he—better than any one else—could lead us to victory. How unerring the popular instinct was in this instance let our majority of 50,000 testify. Accepting without a murmur the task imposed upon him by his party friends Gov. Oglesby began at once the most remarkable canvass ever made by any man in Illinois. Beginning soon after the adjournment of the convention he visited seventy counties and made over a hundred speeches, in addition to which he also spoke in the States of Pennsylvania, Indiana, Missouri and Iowa.

That he accomplished much in the way of winning votes for the whole ticket cannot be doubted, and it is no disparagement to the other eminent speakers who assisted in the canvass to say that while they all did well they must yield the palm to the popular orator whom all the Republicans of Illinois regarded as the leader of the hosts. While fully according the meed of praise to all the gallant men who aided us to achieve our magnificent victory in this State, the Republicans of his own home claim for Gov. Oglesby the chief honor, and though he has in the past given them ample reasons to justify their pride and admiration of his abilities and qualities they look upon his late canvass as the brightest of all his achievements, and firmly believe that the Republicans of the whole State have now greater cause than ever before to confide in his patriotism, ability and integrity. That he has been so triumphantly elected to the highest office in the gift of the people of the State is a source of the most profound satisfaction to his friends and neighbors, whose faith in him has never wavered, and who accept this new manifestation of popular confidence in him as an endorsement of their own high estimate of the man.

POLITICAL CHANGE.—A special dispatch from Cairo, of the 9th inst., says that "during a grand jollification of the Republican party in this city, last night, John H. Oberly, Democratic Representative-elect from this district, and editor of the Cairo *Bulletin*, the recognized organ of the Democrats in Southern Illinois, in front of the *Bulletin* office, made a speech to the Tanners, in which he formally renounced his allegiance to the Democratic party, and complimented President Grant and the Republican party in the highest terms. He declared himself independent of party dictation hereafter.

LESS than a year ago, that distinguished Liberal, Senator Trumbull, said this of the Republican party: "It will act as a body and I think it will poll a larger vote than it did in 1868, no matter what framework or what candidates are opposed to it. The people believe in the Republican party on account of its liberal discussions."

CONDOLENCE.

HALL OF MACON LODGE, No. 8, A. F. & A. M.,
DECATUR, ILL., Nov. 1, 1872.

It having pleased Almighty God, in His infinite wisdom, to remove from hence our well beloved brother GEO. T. SHARTEL, on the 25th day of October, 1872, at Denver City, Colorado, in the 39th year of his age, we humbly bow in submission to His divine will, believing that "He doeth all things well."

WHEREAS, In cheerful submission to His acts, we have a duty to perform to the living as well as the dead—but to the dead a last tribute to his memory; and a bright remembrance of his virtues is inscribed upon our hearts and the records of our Lodge; and,

WHEREAS, Bro. Shartel was a worthy member of our Lodge and mystic brotherhood; and the lesson of this hour should ever be engraven upon our memory as conducing to our future acts as Masons and brethren; and

WHEREAS, We by this act bear testimony to the fact that our deceased brother was a faithful friend, an obedient citizen, an honest man, and a worthy Mason, free by rank; therefore, be it

Resolved, That we hereby tender to his family relations our sympathy in this their trying hour of affliction, believing their loss to be his eternal gain.

Resolved, That this Lodge attend his funeral, and record this last memento of our brotherly love and affection in act and deed.

Resolved, That these preambles and resolutions be published in the daily papers, and a copy of the same presented to the relatives of our deceased brother.

D. P. BUNN,
GEO. W. BRIGHT, Com.
C. H. FULLER,

SPECIAL CONCLAVE,
BEAUMANOIR COMMANDERY, No. 9, K T.,
DECATUR, ILL., A. O., 754,
November 1, A. D., 1872.

WHEREAS, Sir Kt. Geo. T. Shartel departed this life at Denver City, Colorado, on Friday, the 25th day of October, A. D. 1872, aged 38 years; and

WHEREAS, Sir Kt. Shartel being a member of Beaumanoir Commandery No. 9, K. T., it becomes our duty as companion Sir Kts. to render to his memory the last tribute of respect, in laying his body in the ground with solemn ceremonies; and

WHEREAS, It is meet, just and right, at such time of affliction, that our condolence be offered to the family and friends in full sympathy, for the loss to them and us of the companionship and friendly offices of our deceased beloved companion and Sir Kt.; therefore, be it

Resolved, That this Commandery attend the funeral of Sir Kt. Shartel in uniform and mourning badges.

Resolved, That the sympathies of the Commandery be tendered the mourning relatives and friends, and that we cherish his memory and hold in example and remembrance the goodly acts and character of our deceased companion Sir Kt., as an honest, upright citizen, a deserving friend, a true and courteous Sir Kt.

Resolved, That a copy of this preamble and resolutions be published in the daily city papers, and that a copy of the same be presented to his family relations.

When death's fearful damps are stealing,
And is breathed the last farewell,
All the brighter world revealing,
Thou shalt come, Immanuel.

W. T. STAMPER,
D. S. SHELLABARGER, Com.
C. H. FULLER,

AN EASY ELECTRICAL EXPERIMENT.—Take an open-faced watch that has a crystal considerably convex, or full, and lay upon it, nicely balanced, a common, long stemmed, clay tobacco pipe. Then take a wine-glass or plain surfaced goblet, and, after vigorously rubbing it with a silk handkerchief, hold the edge of the glass to the tip of the stem of the pipe, and the pipe will revolve upon the surface of the watch, with the electricity degenerated on the glass. This is a very pleasing experiment, and one which almost any one can try.—[Schoolday Visitor.

THE best thing to be done when evil comes down upon us is not lamentation, but action; not to sit and suffer but to rise and seek the remedy.

...The sidewalk on South Broadway is in a very bad condition, and should be repaired at once.

TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'Clock, P. M.

[Reported Expressly for the Daily Republican.]

FINANCIAL EFFECT OF THE BOSTON FIRE.

A Feeling of Security in Money Circles.

THE RISE IN WOOLEN GOODS.

Incidents of the Fire.

Meeting of the Indiana Legislature.

The Sunday Law in Quincy.

Horrible Accident In Indiana.

BOSTON, Nov. 12.—The streets are now perfectly quiet. Two hundred and fifty mounted soldiery patrol the streets, and no one, unless under official authority from the commandant, is permitted to pass the lines of the infantry.

One man who attempted to enter a store on Winter street, and who refused to leave after been repeatedly ordered away, attempted to run, and was shot by one of the guards and quite severely wounded.

The arrangements for squelching the fire are now nearly perfect unless some villainy or some change in the weather occurs to cause another outbreak in some unexpected quarter

It is probable there will be no more serious damage to life or property. At points where persons are known to have been buried the ruins are being cooled with water, preparatory to digging out the corpses of the victims. On the south side of Washington street where the spread of the fire has been most dreaded, hose are extended in readiness for an emergency.

Three men were buried in the ruins of a falling wall on Washington street, leaving their heads visible. A few of the crowd attempted to rescue them, but were unsuccessful, and in a few minutes the remaining portion of the wall fell and buried them out of sight.

Immense piles of coal at Russia wharf, about 500 tons, are still on fire, and will probably burn several days.

The city authorities have granted to the dry goods merchants the privilege of using the Common as a repository for such of their property as is saved, and to erect shanties and other structures for temporary use.

It is rumored that last night a man attempted to set fire to the gas house near the Charlestown bridge. He was seized by the infuriated crowd and unceremoniously hanged to a lamp-post

Six men were arrested this morning, in the north part of the city, a mile or two from the burned district, having been caught in the act of firing buildings

FROM WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, November 12.—The Commissioner of Internal Revenue estimates the receipts of the bureau for the present fiscal year at one hundred and five million dollars, or thirty millions less than last year. So far as the bureau is aware, both tobacco and spirit interests are satisfied with the late law of Congress.

Secretary Boutwell to-day telegraphed as follows to the collector of Boston:

The President authorizes me to say that every possible means of relief and aid will be afforded the citizens of Boston by the government, and should circumstances appear to demand action by Congress, such action will be recommended by him.

As explanatory of recent diplomatic calls on President Grant to congratulate him on his re-election, it can be truthfully stated that the ministers from Spain and Belgium last week severally received telegrams from their respective governments instructing them so to act. This was the origin of the arrangement among foreign ministers now here to call in a body at the executive mansion.

The Comptroller of the currency telegraphs to Secretary Boutwell from Boston that seven national banks were burned out by the fire All have recovered the cash assets, and will immediately resume business. I have met the presidents of leading banks to-day, and all agree that the total loss will not exceed one half their surplus of twelve million dollars An excellent feeling prevails.

The President has pardoned Appleton Smith, who was taken to Fort Warren in 1861, it being alleged that as a ship agent in New York he had aided in taking out vessels engaged in the slave trade.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov 12 —Grant's majority in this city, by the official canvass, is 605

MORRISON Nov. 12.—Whiteside co. gives Grant 1,962 majority

ATCHISON, Nov 12.—All the counties but nine are heard from, and give Grant a majority of 20 485.

It is estimated that there are 50,000 Jews in New York City.

FROM NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, Nov. 12.—The great losses in leather and wool, in Boston by the fire, will affect the industries of which they are the raw materials, but very slightly. The derangement will be but temporary. But few of our wool and leather merchants are directly affected by the destruction in our sister city and most of those that are will be abundantly able to meet their losses.

In the dry goods trade the Bulletin also says there is much confusion and uncertainty, owing to the absence of letters from Boston, but no great uneasiness is manifested. In the hide and leather there is an entire absence of a panicky feeling. In the boot and shoe trade no crisis is anticipated. The sentiment is that all the Boston dealers are in good standing, and only may need an extension of time. Boston dealers who appeared here yesterday were cheerfully given the usual credit.

The Bulletin says of the wool market that the dealers have recently sold heavily to the Boston merchants, but the wool is still here or is in transit, thus escaping destruction. A partial suspension of the wool trade for weeks is expected, until insurance balances are perfected. The actual sufferers will be the public at large, as all kinds of woolen goods, it is expected, will advance 30 to 40 per cent.

In Wall street the situation is brighter and the Boston fire is being lost sight of.

Woolens have an advancing tendency, and some of the commission houses have already advanced prices 7 1-2 to 10 per cent. and others decline business for the present.

Cotton goods are quiet but prices for all descriptions are very firm.

FROM INDIANA.

TERRE HAUTE, IND., Nov. 11.—Last night Avery Plummer and wife, of Ellisburg, Jefferson county, N. Y., aged persons, were passengers on the westward bound night express train over the Vandalia line, and should have left the train at this point and taken the morning train for Evansville, whither they were bound, but they failed to obey the direction of the conductor, and he found them on the train after it had started west from here. He then arranged for them to stop at Marshall, the first stopping place, and come back on the next train this way. Before reaching Marshall he missed the aged couple from the cars, and searched but failed to find them. Men hunted them throughout night, and at daylight found their dead bodies under Clear creek trestle. They had mistaken the slowing of the train customary at that point for the stopping place, and had stepped off and fallen on the jagged rocks fifty-five feet below the track, meeting instant death.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Nov 12.—The Legislature will meet to-morrow, and many of the members are already in the city. W. R. Edwards, of Terre Haute, will probably be speaker of the House. A number of Republican Senators are absent, and it is feared that they may not be here in time to prevent the Democrats from electing the President for the special session, in place of Cumback, resigned. Considerable interest is manifested in the result.

FROM ILLINOIS.

QUINCY, Ill., Nov. 12.—Nineteen ministers waited upon the City Council last evening, and requested the enforcement of the Sunday law, closing the saloons. The Council heard their appeals, but postponed any action. It is not thought the movement will succeed.

GRAIN.—The amount of grain in Chicago elevators at the commencement of business yesterday morning, as per official returns, was 2,367,629 bushels, embracing 774,811 bushels of wheat, 1,289,337 bushels of corn, 819,121 bushels of oats, 143,875 bushels of rye, and 340,185 bushels of barley.

The stocks of grain in store at the principal points of accumulation at lake and seaboard ports and in transit, November 2, 1872, were 7,153,804 bushels of wheat, 12,295,517 bushels of corn, 4,681,296 bushels of oats, and 3,228,513 bushels of barley.—*Chicago Journal, Nov. 12th.*

LIBERTY is once more in peril. Boston is now under military despotism, as Chicago was under like circumstances. The cradle of American liberty is now rocked by 1,500 soldiers, including a battalion of cavalry. Has General Sheridan removed his headquarters to that city? Let the *Times* and Governor Palmer look into this matter.—*Chicago Journal.*

PUBLIC SALE!

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL SELL, at Public Sale, on

Tuesday, November 19,

His entire Household and Kitchen Furniture, one span of driving horses; one pony; one cattle ... one two horse spring wagon; one ... and other articles.

TERMS. All sums of $10 and upwards, six months credit.

THOMAS O. SMITH.

November 11, d-td.

LOST—On the Springfield road, near Sand Creek, in Macon county, Illinois, on the 24th of October, 1872, a Leather Pocket Book, containing ... in currency, and some notes and papers, as follows: One note on Wm. C. Wall, of $150, payable to John A. Crowder; one note on Allen Cole, payable to W. P. McGuire, $75.02; one note on W. A. Crowder, of ..., payable to Thos. H. Crowder; one note on ... & C. H. Honey, of $100; one note on George Kasner and J. A. McGuire, of $40, payable to Thos. H. Crowder; also, one order by ..., contractor on railroad, payable to S. C. McCay, of $589. I will pay a reasonable reward to any one giving me any information of the above notes and money.

THOS H. CROWDER,
Marrowbone, Moultrie, Co., Ill.

November 8, 1872.

New Advertisements.

Out of the Fire!

THE FOLLOWING is a statement of the

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Showing their condition after the Great Fire in Boston:

	Assets.	Bos. losses.
Home Ins. Co., N. Y....	$ 1,672,613	$ 800,000
Franklin, Phila........	3,350,000	500,000
Phenix, Hartford........	1,008,822	600,000
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Hallet, Davis & Co. Pianos.

This eminent German song-writer, author of "When the Swallows Homeward Fly," &c., says:

"One of the most pleasant surprises that have been afforded me in America has been in the listening to the magnificent Pianos manufactured in this country. Their reputation in Europe has always been of the first order, but it was not until my arrival here that I was given an opportunity to hear and carefully judge of all their merits.

"In the superb instruments manufactured by Hallet, Davis & Co., and used at all the concerts of the Great Boston Jubilee, there was combined a strength and purity of tone, elegance of finish, and those peculiar lasting qualities of rich sound and elaborate general workmanship—without which no Piano can be considered thoroughly good—such as I have never known to be surpassed. I believe their Pianos to be as near absolute perfection as it is possible for the instrument to be brought."

(Signed) FRANZ ABT.
Boston, June 22, 1872

Franz Bendel

AND THE

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During my sojourn at Boston, at the time of the World's Peace Jubilee, it was of the greatest interest to me to become acquainted with and play the Grand Piano of Messrs. Hallet, Davis & Co. I was filled with astonishment that these Grand Pianos were *so grand* in their power of tone that they filled the vast spaces of the Coliseum—the largest concert hall in the world—and that they perfectly satisfy every demand made regarding touch, delicacy of expression, and power of tone.

I coincide with the opinion of Dr. Franz Liszt and other celebrated Pianists, who, in their judgment, have placed these instruments among the first and most excellent manufactured in America.

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J. L. KNIEPER,

No. 10 Water Street,

DECATUR, ILL.

May 21, 1872—d-2m.

Dissolution Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the firm of Gahman & Wicks have this day dissolved by mutual consent and placed their notes and accounts in the hands of J. E. Kinney for collection who is also authorized to settle the claims against said firm. The business will be continued at the old stand by Daniel Gahman.

DANIEL GAHMAN,
FRANK WICKS.

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MRS. R. C. HAMS... inform her friends ... of a splendid stock of F... MILINERY GOODS, w... to sell at reasonable fig... etc., trimmed to order, ... fashionable styles.

Come and see m... no trouble to show.

One door North of ...

MRS. R. ...

Decatur, Nov. 2, 1872—

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Chancery...

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In the Circuit Court, N... 187...

NOTICE IS HEREBY ... is now pending in ... said Macon County, o... thereof, wherein Mary ... Samuel Foalk, Susan ... kle, Elizabeth J. Scot... Mary E. Pasley, Josep... Burke, John H Burk... Clustick, Thomas M... Weaver, John F. Weav... his guardian, Thomas ... min F. Scott his guar... ants, and Lydia Rieden... Sarah Rowe, William B... ers, John Bowers, M... Albert Henston, and ... defendants, that summ... in said cause, made re... vember term of said C... the court house at Dec... Macon, on

Tuesday, the 19th ...
A. D. ...

requiring said defend... make answer to the b... said cause, or the s... *confesso* against them a... set for hearing *ex parte*... not answering.

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Decatur, Ill., Oct. 8, 1872.

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NEW GOODS

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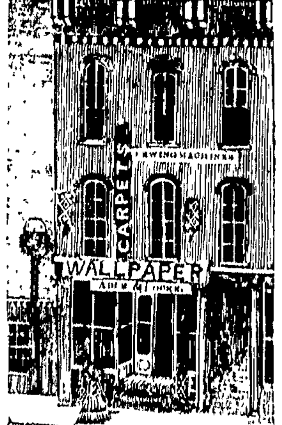

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Decatur, September 10, 1872-daw-3m.

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AFTERNOON and EVENING, Sept. 21st.

AT THIS ACADEMY, over Roach & McReynold's Dry Goods Store, opposite New Square.

TERMS OF TUITION, $6, payable in advance.

Music furnished for Balls and Parties, on short notice and most reasonable terms.

Sept 18, 1872-d3m.

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MRS. R. C. HAMSHER begs leave to inform her friends that she is in receipt of a splendid stock of FALL AND WINTER MILLINERY GOODS, which she is prepared to sell at reasonable figures. Bonnets, Hats, etc., trimmed to order, in the latest and most fashionable styles.

Come and see my goods, which it is no trouble to show.

One door North of Warren & Durfee's.

MRS. R. C. HAMSHER.

Decatur, Nov. 2, 1872 daw,3m.

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J. H. LEWIS & CO.'.

Chancery Notice.

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STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY. }

In the Circuit Court, November Term, A. D. 1872.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a suit is now pending, in the Circuit Court of said Macon County, on the Chancery side thereof wherein Mary Foulk, John Foulk, Samuel Foulk, Susan Kunkle, George Kunkle, [illegible], Benjamin F. Scott, [illegible], Joseph Pasley, Sarah J. Funk, John H. Burke, Susannah [illegible] McClintock, Thomas McClintick, William Weaver, John F. Weaver by John H. Burke his guardian, Thomas J. Weaver by Benjamin F. Scott his guardian are complainants and Lydia Riedorff, Samuel Riedorff, [illegible] Rowe, William Rowe, Harlett F. Bowers, John Bowers, Margaret E. Houston, Albert Houston, and Sarah J. Rowe are defendants, that summons has been issued in said cause, made returnable to the November term of said Court to be holden in the court house at Decatur, in said county of Macon, on

Tuesday, the 19th day of November, A. D. 1872,

requiring said defendants to appear and make answer to the bill of complaint filed [illegible], or the same will be taken *pro confesso* against them and said cause will be set for hearing *ex parte* as to all defendants not answering.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

NELSON & RORY, Sol's for Compl't.
Decatur, Ill. Oct. 8, 1872, dtd.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

Oscar F. McKim, County Superintendent of Schools of the county of Macon, in the State of Illinois, complainant *vs.* William E. Crissey, Mollie E. Crissey, Samuel B. Crissey, and Charles Mayer and William Hauelsen, partners under the firm name of Charles Mayer & Co., defendants.

Foreclosure of Mortgage.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of the defendants, Charles Mayer and William Hauelsen, partners under the firm name of Charles Mayer & Co., having been filed in my office, notice is hereby given to the said Charles Mayer and William Hauelsen, that the said complainant has filed his bill of complaint in the said Court, on the chancery side thereof, on the 10th day of October, A. D., 1872, and that summons thereon issued on that day out of said Court against said defendants, returnable on the 19th day of November, A. D., 1872, as by law required.

Now, unless you, the said Charles Mayer and William Hauelsen, partners by the firm name of Charles Mayer & Co., shall personally be and appear before the said Court, on the first day of the next term thereof at the Court-house in said county, and plead, answer, or demur to said bill of complaint, the same, and the matters therein contained, will be taken *pro confesso*, and a decree entered in accordance with the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

E. PARK, Sol. for Compl't.
October 10, 1872 d10d.

Chancery Notice.

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STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY. }

In the Circuit Court, November term, A. D. 1872.

Notice is hereby given that a suit is now pending in the Circuit Court of said Macon County, on the chancery side thereof, wherein Susan Swinehart and Obed Swinehart are complainants, and James A. Culp, Juriah Sailors, Samuel Sailors, Conrad B. Culp, Charles Culp, Noah Culp, Hellen Foust, Adam Foust, Hester Ann Mounett, Henry B. Culp and Lewis B. Culp are defendants, that summons has been issued in said cause made returnable to the November term of said court, to be holden in the Court House at Decatur, in said County of Macon, on Tuesday, the 19th day of November, A. D. 1872, requiring said defendants to appear and make answer to the bill of complaint filed in said cause or the same will be taken *pro confesso* against them, and said cause will be set for hearing *ex parte* as to all defendants not answering.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk,

NELSON & RORY, Sol. for Compl't's
Decatur, Ill., Oct, 8, A. D. 1872.- 10 d.

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OFFICE: Over Quinlan's Carpet Store East Main Street. [Apl. 1-dtf.

The Daily Republican.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

Wednesday Evening, Nov. 13.

THE DAILY REPUBLICAN will be delivered to subscribers in any part of the city, at *Twenty Cents per Week.*

Local Notices will be inserted at *Ten Cents* per line for the first insertion, and five cents per line for each subsequent insertion. Rates for time advertisements will be furnished upon application at the office.

TO DAILY SUBSCRIBERS.

Subscriptions to the DAILY REPUBLICAN will be collected every Saturday, at the places where the paper is delivered, unless otherwise ordered.

IMPORTANT.

We would be much obliged if our subscribers would inform the carrier at what particular place they desire their papers to be left.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

...Guard against fire.

...Always driving things—a hammer.

...Bloomington is infested with burglars.

...Water and gas mains adorn our streets

...Still the schooners bound for the west pass through our streets.

...Who knows himself has occasion for humility.

...He is a weak man who cannot get angry, but a wise one that won't.

...Leave company when you find yo lose by it and cannot improve it.

...Voltaire defines the happy man as the one who considers himself so.

...A fast young lady—one who is engaged.

...Col. L. Guinnip, of Danville, was in the city last night.

...Epizootic hats are the next thing in order.

...If you want to test the friendship of your associates tell them their faults.

...Gloves and mufflers are being hunted up.

...The heart of a wise man should resemble a mirror, which reflects every object without being sullied with any.

...People who are subject to nightmare should not go to sleep during the reign of the equine influenza.

...Francis Taylor, Esq., editor of the Belleville *Advocate*, called to see us this morning

...At last - The old Flora building that has so long been a disgrace to our city, is being demolished.

...There are three things a man ought always to keep clean: his shirt bosom, his face and his conscience.

...Hushed are the clarion notes and frantic appeals of the eloquent street corner statesmen

...Farewell to grapes, peaches and such, they have gracefully given way to the rosy apple, the juicy pumpkin, and the fragrant squash. 'Tis well

...Power of thought is the only true measure of the intellect, as force of principle is the only true measure of moral greatness.

...It is the mind that makes us rich and happy, in what condition soever we are, and money signifies no more to it than it does to the gods.

...Almost every week we hear of horses and mules being stolen in the country. In one case it seems that the mules were taken from the barn, harnessed, hitched to the wagon, and driven off. Rather cheeky, it strikes us.

...Moore Bros., in the little brick "around the corner" of Water and Prairie streets, keep constantly on hand a good supply of fresh fish, which, at this season of the year are a great luxury. They deserve to be patronized.

...No matter what effect the Boston fire will have on other interests, J. T. Hand will continue to sell his goods at the lowest prices. He intends to close out his entire stock before January 1, 1873.

...Directions for fainting—Never faint when you are alone. Always select some good opportunity. The more persons there are about you, the more successful will your fit be. Never faint more than once the same evening, as there may be a falling off, in the sympathy on the second experiment. A woman should not only faint well, but be above suspicions. Be very careful, therefore never to risk a faint unless you have some object in view.

Still Afloat.—The well-known Home Insurance Company of New York, and the other companies represented here by Wood & Montgomery, come out of the great Boston fire with flying colors. The amount of losses sustained by these companies in the late conflagration, together with their assets, are fully set forth in the advertisement of Wood & Montgomery in to day's paper, and parties desiring good insurance are respectfully requested to look over the table, and see the condition of these old and reliable companies.

For Boys to Read.—The boy who spends an hour each evening lounging idly on a street corner, wastes in the course of a year, three hundred and sixty five hours, which, if applied to study, would familiarize him with the rudiments of almost any familiar science. If in addition to wasting an hour each evening he spends ten cents for a cigar, which is usually the case, the amount is thus more than wasted.—Boys, think of these things; think how much precious time and money you are wasting, and for what? You cannot indulge in such practices without seriously injuring yourselves You may in after life shake them off, but the probabilities are that the habits thus formed in early life will remain with you to your dying day. Be warned then, in time, and resolve that as the hour spent in idleness is gone forever, you will improve each passing one, and thereby fit yourself for usefulness and happiness.

The Small-Pox Again.—Miss Schultz, the young lady who was sick with small-pox on the corner of Church and West Main streets, has so far recovered as to be able to walk about town. She had only a slight attack of varioloid, and none of the remaining members of the family have been affected. So far as is now known *there is not a single case of small pox or varioloid in the city*, and with proper precautions upon the part of our people it is not at all likely that the disease will spread any farther.

In Luck.—From the Wichita, (Kan.) *Daily Beacon*, of the 9th, we learn that Albert Emerson, Esq., formerly of this city, was chosen County Superintendent of Public Instruction for Sedgwick county, at the recent election. We congratulate "Bert" on the good luck which attended his first effort in the carpet-bag line. Now let the unfortunate school teachers of Sedgwick county look out, for their new boss will trot them through at a lively pace.

Police News, Monday and Tuesday.—Wm. Downing was fined $3 and costs, by Justice Albert, for fast driving.

Peter Sells was fined $7,50 and costs, for fast driving. It seems that the "busses" were coming from the depot, and toward the end of their journey had a trial of speed, in which one of the "busses" had a wheel wrenched, some spokes broken, etc.

Elizabeth Johnson and Wm. Whiting were fined $25 and costs by Justice Albert, for disturbing the peace, vagrancy, etc. William left his watch as security, and Elizabeth went to jail,

N. L. Prather was fined $5 and costs by Justice Baker, for leaving his horses unhitched.

Edward Dodson was fined $10 and costs by Justice Albert, for assault and battery. This case occupied the attention of the Justice and a jury until 2 o'clock this morning. Rather tiresome, but lots of fun.

The richest trial of the season came off at Justice Baker's court last evening. One Mr. Henry, a young man traveling in this county, was in Dodson's saloon, and in company with others was having some fun, sham fights, etc. Mr. Dodson did not appreciate the joke, and had Mr. Henry arrested for disturbing the peace. Considerable fun was had before the trial commenced; finally the trial began, Mr. Henry acting as his own lawyer About a dozen witnesses were summoned and interrogated.

Marshals Haworth and Adderly were sworn, and gave in their evidence.

Edward Dodson said that there had been a little scuffle, but no serious damage done, and that larger crowds collect on the streets every day.

Mr. Dodson made quite a speech, stated his wrongs and his mishaps.

A bland, child-like witness next took the stand. He told his story in a most charming way, every other sentence being "you know." He was stumped, however, when asked what day of the month it was. "He didn't 'zactly know; it was November, and that's all he did know about it."

This witness was something of an actor; he should be on the stage, and his fortune is made. He stated that he didn't do any business, he only worked!

The whole trial was interesting—the court's risibles certainly had the upper hand of his diguity—in fact everybody was in a good humor, and had to laugh at the remarks and interrogations of Mr. Henry. He was fined $5 and costs, but appealed the case to the County Court.

Reliable Companies.—The recent terrible conflagration in Boston caused many people to fear the complete collapse of all the Eastern insurance companies.—As appears, however, from the new advertisements of Warren & Durfee, in to-day's paper, the companies they represent have come out of the great fire uninjured, and still have their capital unimpaired.—Persons holding policies in these companies can now breathe easier, while those desiring reliable insurance would do well to consult the statements contained in Warren & Durfee's advertisements, and act accordingly.

Still they Come,—The new goods at the City Book Store. The establishment of Litsinberger & Sutton well deserves the title of "variety store," for they indeed have a variety stock. Their store appears to be jammed full of goods now, yet every day adds something to their stock. Every market in the country has been searched to make up the largest and best stock of books, stationery, fancy goods, etc., for their fall and winter trade, which has ever been brought to this city. Call at their store and see for yourselves.

Hats and Bonnets.—The most striking change in regard to ladies' hats and bonnets is the way in which they are worn. The hat no longer covers the forehead, but is thrown back, showing the crimped, waved or banded hair, while the bonnet comes further forward, showing a tendency to simulate a hat.

To the Public.—The case of small-pox four doors above our store, last week, having been exaggerated into from one to a dozen, we take pleasure in informing our friends that there has been *but one case.* The patient was promptly removed to the country, and all danger from the house is past. HAYS & BRUCE.

Nov. 11—d2t w1t.

For Sale.—Two houses and one lot, just west of the oil mill. Apply at 77 East Main street. [nov10 6m.

Made this Morning, and fresh every day:

Cocoanut Candy;
Strawberry and Vanilla Taffy;
Molasses and Butter Scotches;
Lemon, Strawberry, Maple and Cocoanut Carmels, and
Nice Corn Balls, at
MILLER'S NEW CONFECTIONERY,
Nov 12 2d 26 Main street.

Chicago, 1871!—Boston, 1872!

The "AGRICULTURAL" Insurance Company, for the twenty years of its business has confined itself entirely to the insurance of *detached dwelling* property. It had not a dollar in the Chicago fire, and could not possibly have lost in Boston. Capital, nearly $1,000,000.

The "GIRARD," of Philadelphia, known as one of the most conservative and oldest companies in the United States—has only done business in Boston for two months, therefore cannot be in very deep. Capital nearly $1,000,000.

The "GERMAN," of Freeport, Ill., an old, tried, safe company, very favorably known to the citizens of Decatur—especially to the German portion—had no insurance in Boston, being a home company, and to-day is as sound as a dollar.

As the probabilities are that a great majority of the insurance companies of the United States are to-day bankrupt, it behooves property owners to look to their interests at once. Policies written and losses paid promptly in the above and other reliable companies by

HARL P. CHRISTIE,
Nov 11-1w] City Council Building.

Fresh Oysters!

OYSTER Raw, Selects,
OYSTER Fry, "
OYSTER Stew, "
PIGS FEET.
LUNCHES, all kinds;

Also, Ham and Eggs, Hot Tea and Coffee, in a moment's notice, and in neat restaurant style, call at MILLER'S,
Nov 12 2d No. 26 Main street.

Festival and Fair.—The ladies of the Catholic Church will hold their annual fair and festival at the Opera House on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of next week. Among the novelties of the occasion will be the disposal of a silver speaking trumpet, which will be presented to the fire company receiving the highest number of votes. A magnificent gold-headed cane will be presented to the gentleman receiving the highest number of votes. A beautiful chromo of the Madonna, presented by Mr. A. Ruth, will also be disposed of by lot. The cane and chromo will be on exhibition at Mr. Ruth's store until the opening of the fair. [Nov 11-td

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3,000 Quires Blank Books, best assortment in the City.
50,000 Envelopes, all sizes and styles.
400 Boxes Initial Paper, at 25 to 50c per box.
200 Vols. Standard Poets, at 35c, 75c, $1, $2. $3, up to $10 per vol.
Games, Building and Alphabet Blocks, Puzzles, Toys and Picture Books for Children—GREATEST VARIETY ever brought to Decatur, and many entirely new Articles among them.

CALL AT NO. 17 EAST MAIN STREET, AND EXAMINE OUR IMMENSE STOCK.

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PENN MUTUAL LIFE, of Philadelphia.
TRAVELERS' LIFE AND ACCIDENT, of Hartford.

OFFICE—City Council Building,
DECATUR, ILL.

Decatur, May 2, 1872—d-tf.

Little Saloon Around the Corner

40 EAST MAIN ST.,

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PROPRIETORS.

BEST OF LIQUORS AT THE BAR.

Eatables of Every Kind always on Hand.

Aug. 1-dtf.

Glass Bowls, Goblets Sets, Pitchers, Cake Stands, etc., large assortment, at

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Have engaged the services of Mr. Wm Mayne, the best Grainer in the Country.

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Bird Cages for Mocking Birds, Robins and Canaries, in large variety, and Bird Cage Hooks at

J. H. LEWIS & CO.'S

Chancery Notice.

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STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY. }

In the Circuit Court, November Term, A. D. 1872.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a suit is now pending in the Circuit Court of Macon County, on the Chancery side thereof, wherein Samuel M. C. Davis is complainant and Catharine Melville, Andrew Melville, Mary Meeker, Clark Meeker and Jane Shourt are defendants; that summons has been issued in said cause, made returnable to the November Term of said Court to be holden in the court house at Decatur, in said county of Macon, on

Tuesday, the 19th day of November, A. D. 1872.

requiring said defendants to appear and make answer to the bill of complaint filed in said cause, or the same will be taken *pro confesso* against them, and said cause set for hearing *ex-parte*, as to all defendants not answering. E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

NELSON & RORY, Sol's for Compl't.
Decatur, Ill., Oct. 8, 1872-dtd.

CHANCERY NOTICE

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

Of the November term, A. D., 1872, of the Circuit Court of Macon county.

Jarvis Barber *vs.* John Irwin and Alta R. Irwin, his wife, and Peter W. Taylor and Frances Taylor, his wife.

In Chancery—Bill for Foreclosure.

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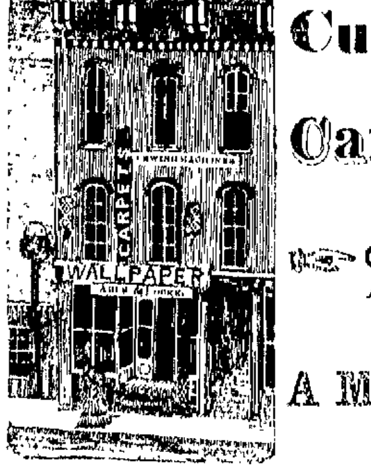

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Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court, November Term, A. D. 1872.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a suit is now pending in the Circuit Court of said Macon County, on the Chancery side thereof, wherein Mary Foulk, John Foulk, Samuel Foulk, Susan Kinkle, George Kunkle, Eliza [illegible] Scott, Rosetta F. Scott, Mary [illegible], Joseph Pasley, Sarah J. Park, John H. Barke, Susan [illegible] Mc[illegible] [illegible] McCristick, William Weaver, John [illegible] Weaver by John H. Barke [illegible] Frances J. Weaver, by Benton [illegible] Scott his [illegible] are complainants, and [illegible] Rhodam, Samuel Rhodam, [illegible] Rowe, William Rowe, Harriet [illegible] Bowers, John Bower, Margaret E. Houston, Albert Houston, and Sarah I. Rowe are defendants; that summons has been issued in said cause, made returnable to the November term of said Court to be holden in the court house at Decatur, in said county of Macon, on

Tuesday, the 19th day of November, A. D. 1872,

requiring said defendants to appear and make answer to the bill of complaint filed in said cause, or the same will be taken *pro confesso* against them and said cause will be set for hearing *ex parte* as to all defendants not answering.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

NELSON & RORY, Sol's for Compl't.

Decatur, Ill. Oct. 8, 1872, d1d.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }

Osen F McKim, County Superintendent of Schools of the county of Macon, in the State of Illinois, complainant vs. William E. Crissey, Mollie E. Crissey, Samuel B. Crissey, and Charles Mayer and William Hanelsen, partners under the firm name of Charles Mayer & Co., defendants.

Foreclosure of Mortgage.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of the defendants, Charles Mayer and William Hanelsen, partners under the firm name of Charles Mayer & Co., having been filed in my office, notice is hereby given to the said Charles Mayer and William Hanelsen, that the said complainant has filed his bill of complaint in the said Court, on the chancery side thereof, on the 10th day of October, A. D., 1872, and that summons thereon issued on that day out of said Court against said defendants, returnable on the 19th day of November, A. D., 1872, as by law required.

Now, unless you, the said Charles Mayer and William Hanelsen, partners by the firm name of Charles Mayer & Co., shall personally be and appear before the said Court, on the first day of the next term thereof at the Court-house in said county, and plead, answer, or demur to said bill of complaint, the same, and the matters therein contained, will be taken *pro confesso*, and a decree entered in accordance with the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

E. PARK, Sol. for Compl't.

October 10, 1872 d40d.

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court, November term, A. D. 1872.

Notice is hereby given that a suit is now pending in the Circuit Court of said Macon County, on the chancery side thereof, wherein Susan Swinehart and Obed Swinehart are complainants, and James A. Culp, Juriah Sailors, Samuel Sailors, Conrad B. Culp, Charles Culp, Noah Culp, Hellen Foust, Adam Foust, Hester Ann Mounett, Henry B. Culp and Lewis B. Culp are defendants, that summons has been issued in said cause made returnable to the November term of said court, to be holden in the Court House at Decatur, in said County of Macon, on Tuesday, the 19th day of November, A. D. 1872, requiring said defendants to appear and make answer to the bill of complaint filed in said cause or the same will be taken *pro confesso* against them, and said cause will be set for hearing *ex parte* as to all defendants not answering.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk,

NELSON & RORY, Sol. for Compl't

Decatur, Ill., Oct, 6, A. D, 1872.-10d.

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Wednesday Evening, Nov. 13.

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...Bloomington is infested with burglars.

...Water and gas mains adorn our streets

...Still the schooners bound for the west pass through our streets.

...Who knows himself has occasion for humility.

...He is a weak man who cannot get angry, but a wise one that won't.

...Leave company when you find yo lose by it and cannot improve it.

...Voltaire defines the happy man as the one who considers himself so.

...A fast young lady—one who is engaged.

...Col. L. Guinnip, of Danville, was in the city last night.

...Epizootic hats are the next thing in order.

...If you want to test the friendship of your associates tell them their faults.

...Gloves and mufflers are being hunted up.

...The heart of a wise man should resemble a mirror, which reflects every object without being sullied with any.

...People who are subject to nightmare should not go to sleep during the reign of the equine influenza.

...Francis Taylor, Esq., editor of the Belleville *Advocate*, called to see us this morning.

...At last—The old Flora building that has so long been a disgrace to our city, is being demolished.

...There are three things a man ought always to keep clean—his shirt bosom, his face and his conscience.

...Hushed are the clarion note and frantic appeals of the eloquent street corner statesmen.

...Farewell to grapes, peaches and sich, they have gracefully given way to the rosy apple, the juicy pumpkin, and the fragrant squash. 'Tis well.

...Power of thought is the only true measure of the intellect, as force of principle is the only true measure of moral greatness.

...It is the mind that makes us rich and happy, in what condition soever we are, and money signifies no more to it than it does to the gods.

...Almost every week we hear of horses and mules being stolen in the country. In one case it seems that the mules were taken from the barn, harnessed, hitched to the wagon, and driven off. Rather cheeky, it strikes us.

...Moore Bros., in the little brick "around the corner" of Water and Prairie streets, keep constantly on hand a good supply of fresh fish, which, at this season of the year are a great luxury. They deserve to be patronized.

...No matter what effect the Boston fire will have on other interests, J. T. Hand will continue to sell his goods at the lowest prices. He intends to close out his entire stock before January 1, 1873.

...Directions for fainting—Never faint when you are alone. Always select some good opportunity. The more persons there are about you, the more successful will your fit be. Never faint more than once the same evening, as there may be a falling off, in the sympathy on the second experiment. A woman should not only faint well, but be above suspicions. Be very careful, therefore never to risk a faint unless you have some object in view.

Still Afloat.—The well-known Home Insurance Company of New York, and the other companies represented here by Wood & Montgomery, come out of the great Boston fire with flying colors. The amount of losses sustained by these companies in the late conflagration, together with their assets, are fully set forth in the advertisement of Wood & Montgomery in to day's paper, and parties desiring good insurance are respectfully requested to look over the table, and see the condition of these old and reliable companies.

For Boys to Read.—The boy who spends an hour each evening lounging idly on a street corner, wastes in the course of a year, three hundred and sixty five hours, which, if applied to study, would familiarize him with the rudiments of almost any familiar science. If in addition to wasting an hour each evening he spends ten cents for a cigar, which is usually the case, the amount is thus more than wasted.—Boys, think of these things; think how much precious time and money you are wasting, and for what? You cannot indulge in such practices without seriously injuring yourselves. You may in after life shake them off, but the probabilities are that the habits thus formed in early life will remain with you to your dying day. Be warned then, in time, and resolve that as the hour spent in idleness is gone forever, you will improve each passing one, and thereby fit yourself for usefulness and happiness.

The Small-Pox Again.—Miss Schultz, the young lady who was sick with small-pox on the corner of Church and West Main streets, has so far recovered as to be able to walk about town. She had only a slight attack of varioloid, and none of the remaining members of the family have been affected. So far as is now known *there is not a single case of small pox or varioloid in the city*, and with proper precautions upon the part of our people it is not at all likely that the disease will spread any farther.

In Luck.—From the Wichita, (Kan.) *Daily Beacon*, of the 9th, we learn that Albert Emerson, Esq., formerly of this city, was chosen County Superintendent of Public Instruction for Sedgwick county, at the recent election. We congratulate "Bert" on the good luck which attended his first effort in the carpet-bag line. Now let the unfortunate school teachers of Sedgwick county look out, for their new boss will trot them through at a lively pace.

Police News, Monday and Tuesday.—Wm. Downing was fined $3 and costs, by Justice Albert, for fast driving.

Peter Solls was fined $7,50 and costs, for fast driving. It seems that the "busses" were coming from the depot, and toward the end of their journey had a trial of speed, in which one of the "busses" had a wheel wrenched, some spokes broken, etc.

Elizabeth Johnson and Wm. Whiting were fined $25 and costs by Justice Albert, for disturbing the peace, vagrancy, etc. William left his watch as security, and Elizabeth went to jail,

N. L. Prather was fined $5 and costs by Justice Baker, for leaving his horses unhitched.

Edward Dodson was fined $10 and costs by Justice Albert, for assault and battery. This case occupied the attention of the Justice and a jury until 2 o'clock this morning. Rather tiresome, but lots of fun.

The richest trial of the season came off at Justice Baker's court last evening. One Mr. Henry, a young man traveling in this county, was in Dodson's saloon, and in company with others was having some fun, sham fights, etc. Mr. Dodson did not appreciate the joke, and had Mr. Henry arrested for disturbing the peace. Considerable fun was had before the trial commenced; finally the trial began, Mr. Henry acting as his own lawyer. About a dozen witnesses were summoned and interrogated.

Marshals Haworth and Adderly were sworn, and gave in their evidence.

Edward Dodson said that there had been a little scuffle, but no serious damage done, and that larger crowds collect on the streets every day.

Mr. Dodson made quite a speech, stated his wrongs and his mishaps.

A bland, child-like witness next took the stand. He told his story in a most charming way, every other sentence being "you know." He was stumped, however, when asked what day of the month it was. "He didn't 'zactly know; it was November, and that's all he did know about it."

This witness was something of an actor; he should be on the stage, and his fortune is made. He stated that he didn't do any business, he only worked!

The whole trial was interesting—the court's risibles certainly had the upper hand of his dignity—in fact everybody was in a good humor, and had to laugh at the remarks and interrogations of Mr. Henry. He was fined $5 and costs, but appealed the case to the County Court.

Reliable Companies.—The recent terrible conflagration in Boston caused many people to fear the complete collapse of all the Eastern insurance companies.—As appears, however, from the new advertisements of Warren & Durfee, in to-day's paper, the companies they represent have come out of the great fire uninjured, and still have their capital unimpaired.—Persons holding policies in these companies can now breathe easier, while those desiring reliable insurance would do well to consult the statements contained in Warren & Durfee's advertisements, and act accordingly.

Still they Come,—The new goods at the City Book Store. The establishment of Litsinberger & Sutton well deserves the title of "variety store," for they indeed have a variety stock. Their store appears to be jammed full of goods now, yet every day adds something to their stock. Every market in the country has been searched to make up the largest and best stock of books, stationery, fancy goods, etc., for their fall and winter trade, which has ever been brought to this city. Call at their store and see for yourselves.

Hats and Bonnets.—The most striking change in regard to ladies' hats and bonnets is the way in which they are worn. The hat no longer covers the forehead, but is thrown back, showing the crimped, waved or banded hair, while the bonnet comes further forward, showing a tendency to simulate a hat.

To the Public.—The case of small-pox four doors above our store, last week, having been exaggerated into from one to a dozen, we take pleasure in informing our friends that there has been *but one case*. The patient was promptly removed to the country, and all danger from the house is past. HAYS & BRUCE,

Nov. 11—d2t w1t.

For Sale.—Two houses and one lot, just west of the oil mill. Apply at 77 East Main street. [nov10 6m.

Made this Morning, and fresh every day:

Cocoanut Candy;
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Lemon, Strawberry, Maple and Cocoanut Carmels, and
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The "GERMAN," of Freeport, Ill., an old, tried, safe company, very favorably known to the citizens of Decatur—especially to the German portion—had no insurance in Boston, being a home company, and to-day is as sound as a dollar.

As the probabilities are that a great majority of the insurance companies of the United States are to-day bankrupt, it behooves property owners to look to their interests at once. Policies written and losses paid promptly in the above and other reliable companies by

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Nov 12 2d No. 26 Main street.

Festival and Fair.—The ladies of the Catholic Church will hold their annual fair and festival at the Opera House on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of next week. Among the novelties of the occasion will be the disposal of a silver speaking trumpet, which will be presented to the fire company receiving the highest number of votes. A magnificent gold-headed cane will be presented to the gentleman receiving the highest number of votes. A beautiful chromo of the Madonna, presented by Mr. A. Ruth, will also be disposed of by lot. The cane and chromo will be on exhibition at Mr. Ruth's store until the opening of the fair. [Nov 11-td

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Decatur, May 2, 1872—d-1f.

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MACON COUNTY. }

In the Circuit Court, November Term, A. D. 1872.

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Decatur, Ill., Oct. 8, 1872-d4d.

CHANCERY NOTICE

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

Of the November term, A. D., 1872, of the Circuit Court of Macon county.

Jarvis Barber vs. John Irwin and Alta R. Irwin, his wife, and Peter W. Taylor and Frances Taylor, his wife.

In Chancery—Bill for Foreclosure.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the above named John Irwin and Alta R. Irwin, that a bill in chancery for the foreclosure of a mortgage has been filed against them and others in above entitled cause, on the chancery side of said Court; that summons has been issued therein returnable on the third Tuesday of November, A. D., 1872; and that unless the said John Irwin and Alta R. Irwin shall be and appear before said Court on said return day of said summons, at the Court-house in the city of Decatur, in said county of Macon, and plead, answer or demur to said bill, the same will be taken as confessed against them, and a decree be entered in pursuance of the prayer of said bill.

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